GRANT XXXVIII—REFUNDS OF REVENUE—RESERVED AND TRANSFERRED.

* The Hon. Sir HOPETOUN STOKES:—" Mr. President, on the recommendation of His Excellency the Governor, I move—

'*that Government be granted a further sum not exceeding Rs.* 1,89,400 *under Grant XXXVIII—Refunds of Revenue—Reserved and Transferred.*' "

The Demand was put and carried, and the grant was made.

V.—AMENDMENT TO STANDING ORDER No. 80.

* The Hon. Sir MAHOMED USMAN:—" Mr. President, Sir, I beg to present the Report of the Select Committee appointed to consider an amendment to Standing Order No. 80 [a] of the Standing Orders of the Madras Legislative Council and move that the report be taken into consideration.

" This is a very simple amendment, the object of which is to allow any Member who proposes a change in the Standing Orders to be a Member of the Select Committee which will consider the amendments. In case the Member who proposes the amendment happens to be a non-official Member, it is provided that the Member of Government concerned should also be a Member of the Select Committee. It is a very simple change and I think it is necessary that this should be made."

Dr. P. SUBBARAYAN:—" I second it."

The motion was put and carried.

The Hon. Sir MAHOMED USMAN:—" I beg to move that the amendment be passed."

Dr. P. SUBBARAYAN:—" I second it."

The motion was put and carried.

VI.—A BILL TO FACILITATE THE WORKING OF CO-OPERATIVE LAND MORTGAGE BANKS IN THE PRESIDENCY OF MADRAS (BILL No. 5 OF 1933).

* The Hon. Mr. P. T. RAJAN:—" Sir, I beg to move the following amendments which are merely verbal and formal in character:—

" *In clause* 4 (2), *in line* 2, *after the words* ' *issued by the Board* ' insert *the words and brackets* ' (*including those issued before the commencement of this Act*)."

Mr. T. SUNDARA RAO NAYUDU:—" I second it."

The amendment was put and carried.

* The Hon. Mr. P. T. RAJAN:—" I beg to move—

" *in clause* 10, *sub-clause* (1), *in line* 2, for *the figure* ' 8,' substitute *the figure* ' 9 '."

Mr. T. SUNDARA RAO NAYUDU:—" I second it."

The amendment was put and carried.

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a Vide Appendix IV at page 755 infra.